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**PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney Docket No.: 111480

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

In re the Application of

Kouichi ODA et al.

Application No.: 10/080,693

Filed: February 25, 2002

For: FILTER AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING THE FILTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Entitlement to small entity status is hereby asserted.  
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)	SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADD'L FEE	OR	RATE	ADD'L FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	*19 MINUS	**20	=0	x 9	\$		x 18	\$
INDEP CLAIMS	*6 MINUS	***3	=3	x 42	\$		x 84	\$ 252
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ 140	\$	OR	+280	\$
					\$			\$ 252

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- ☒ Check No. 145887 in the amount of \$252 is attached. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees that may be required to complete this filing, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this sheet are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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Group Art Unit: 1724

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the June 19, 2003 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**

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